

Chambers of Member James B. Loken

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James B. Loken
Member

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Wisconsin 1962 BS; Harvard 1965 LLB
Began Service: March 2003

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable J. Edward Lumbard, United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit (1965-1966); Law Clerk The Honorable Byron R. White, Supreme Court of the United States (1966-1967)

Government: Staff Assistant to the President, Executive Office of the President (1970-1972); General Counsel, President's Committee on Consumer Interests, Executive Office of the President (1970)

Legal Practice: Associate, Faegre & Benson (1967-1970); Partner, Faegre & Benson (1972-1990)

Current Memberships: Hennepin County Bar Association; Minnesota State Bar Association

Chambers of Member James M. Rosenbaum

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James M. Rosenbaum
Member

Date of Birth: 1944
Education: Minnesota 1966 BA, 1969 JD
Began Service: January 1, 1997

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota

Government: Attorney, VISTA (1969-1970); United States Attorney, District of Minnesota, Department of Justice (1981-1985)

Legal Practice: Staff Attorney, Leadership Council for Metropolitan Open Communities (1970-1972); Associate, Katz, Taube, Lange & Frommelt (1973-1977); Rosenbaum & Rosenbaum (1977-1979); Partner, Gainsley, Squier & Kosh (1979-1981)

Chambers of Member Mary M. Schroeder

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Mary M. Schroeder
Member

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Swarthmore 1962 BA;
Chicago 1965 JD
Began Service: December 1, 2000
Term Expires: December 1, 2007



Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit; Councilor, The American Law Institute

Academic: Visiting Instructor of Law, Arizona State University (1975)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Jesse A. Udall, Arizona Supreme Court (1970-1971)

Chambers of Member Mary M. Schroeder continued

Government: Trial Attorney, Civil Division, Department of Justice (1965-1969)

Judicial: Judge, Arizona Court of Appeals (1975-1979)

Legal Practice: Lewis & Roca (1971-1975); Partner, Lewis & Roca (1973-1975)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; American Law Institute; Arizona Association of Women Lawyers; District of Columbia Bar; Federal Bar Association; Illinois Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges, Past President; National Association of Women Lawyers; State Bar of Arizona

Chambers of Member David Alan Ezra

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David Alan Ezra
Member

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: St Mary's U 1969 BBA, 1972 JD
Began Service: October 1, 2002

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the District of Hawaii

Legal Practice: Greenstein, Cowen & Frey (1972-1973); Associate then Partner, Anthony, Hoddick, Reinwald & O'Connor (1973-1980); Director and Managing Director, Ezra, O'Connor, Moon & Tam (1980-1988)

Military Service: United States Army Reserve (1971-1977)

Current Memberships: American Arbitration Association; American Bar Association; Federal Judges Association, Vice President and Member, Board of Directors and Executive Committee; Hawaii State Bar Association; Judicial Council of the Ninth Circuit; Judicial Conference Committee on the Administration of the Bankruptcy System; Ninth Circuit District Judges Association; Ninth Judicial Circuit Historical Society, Board of Directors

Chambers of Member Deanell Reece Tacha

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Deanell Reece Tacha
Member

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Kansas 1968 BA; Michigan 1971 JD
Began Service: January 1, 2001
Term Expires: January 1, 2008

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit

Academic: Professor, University of Kansas (1974-1985); Director of Legal Aid Clinic, University of Kansas (1974-1977); Associate Dean, University of Kansas (1977-1979); Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Kansas (1979-1981); Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Kansas (1981-1985)

Government: White House Fellow, Special Assistant to Secretary of Labor, Department of Labor (1971-1972); Director, Douglas County Legal Aid Clinic (1974-1977)

Judicial: United States Sentencing Commission (1994-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hogan & Hartson; Associate, Thomas J. Pitner Law Firm (1973-1974)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association

Chambers of Member J. L. Edmondson

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J. L. Edmondson
Member

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Emory 1968 BA; Georgia 1971 JD; Virginia 1990
Began Service: June 3, 2002

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit

Academic: Instructor, University of Georgia School of Law (1975-1984)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Sidney O. Smith, United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia (1971-1973)

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Webb, Fowler, Tanner & Edmondson (1973-1981); Member, Tennant, Davidson & Edmondson P.C. (1982-1986)

Chambers of Member J. Owen Forrester

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J. Owen Forrester
Member

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Georgia Tech 1961 BS; Emory 1966 LLB
Began Service: October 1, 2002

Affiliation: Senior Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Georgia, Department of Justice (1969-1976)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia (1976-1981)

Legal Practice: Associate, Fisher & Phillips (1967-1969)

Chambers of Member Douglas H. Ginsburg

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Douglas H. Ginsburg
Member

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Cornell 1970 BS; Chicago 1973 JD
Began Service: July 16, 2001
Term Expires: July 15, 2008

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit

Academic: Professor, Harvard Law School (1977-1983)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Carl McGowan, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (1973-1974); Law Clerk The Honorable Thurgood Marshall, Supreme Court of the United States (1974-1975)

Government: Deputy Assistant Attorney General for Regulatory Affairs, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice (1983-1984); Administrator for Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President (1984-1985); Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice (1985-1986)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Economic Association; Illinois State Bar Association

Chambers of Member Hector M. Laffitte

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Héctor M. Laffitte
Member

Date of Birth: 1934
Education: Inter American 1955 BA; Puerto Rico 1958 LLB;
Georgetown 1960 LLM
Political Affiliation: Republican

Affiliation: District Judge (R), United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico

Legal Practice: Hartzell, Fernandez & Novas (1959-1964); Private Practice (1965-1966); Nachman, Feldstein, Laffitte & Smith (1966-1969); Laffitte & Domínguez (1970-1983)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Institute of Judicial Administration

Chambers of Member Anthony J. Scirica

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Anthony J. Scirica
Member

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Wesleyan U 1962 BA; Michigan 1965 JD

Affiliation: Trustee and Executive Committee Chairman, Temple University; Director, William Penn Foundation; Chief Judge, United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Montgomery County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (1967-1969); Member, Pennsylvania House of Representatives (1971-1979)

Judicial: Judge, Pennsylvania Court of Common Pleas, Montgomery County (1980-1984); District Judge, United States District Court for the District of Eastern Pennsylvania (1984-1987)

Legal Practice: Associate, Scirica & McGroarty (1966-1970); Partner, McGroarty, Scirica, Wentz & Fernandez (1970-1979)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation; American Law Institute; Judicial Conference of the United States, Advisory Committee on Civil Rules; Judicial Conference of the United States, Standing Committee on Rules of Practice and Procedure, Chair; Montgomery County Bar Association; Pennsylvania Bar Association

Chambers of Member Thomas I. Vanaskie

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Thomas I. Vanaskie
Member

Date of Birth: 1953
Education: Lycoming 1975 BA; Dickinson 1978 JD

Affiliation: Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable William J. Nealon, United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania (1978-1980)

Legal Practice: Dilworth, Paxson, Kalish & Kauffman (1980-1992); Partner, Elliott, Vanaskie & Riley (1992-1994)

Current Memberships: American Judicature Society; Federal Bar Association; Lackawanna Bar Association; Pennsylvania Bar Association